



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 204201
Client Reference No. 99154

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:

Fang et al.

Application No. 09/595,227

Filed: June 16, 2000

Art Unit: 2766

Examiner: Hadi Shakeri

For: METHOD FOR POLISHING A
MEMORY OR RIGID DISK
PHOSPHATE ION-CONTAINING
POLISHING SYSTEM

**TRANSMITTAL OF
APPELLANTS' APPEAL BRIEF**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.192, appellants hereby submit Appellants' Brief on Appeal in triplicate.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Appellants

This application is on behalf of ☐ other than a small entity or ☒ a small entity.

2. Fee for Filing Brief on Appeal

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Brief on Appeal is for: ☐ other than a small entity or ☒ a small entity.

Brief Fee Due \$160.00

3. Oral Hearing

☐ Appellants request an oral hearing in accordance with 37 CFR 1.194.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this document (along with any documents referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date: December 20, 2002

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4. Extension of Time

- ☐ Appellants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00.
- ☒ Appellants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$

5. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Brief on Appeal Fee	\$160.00
Request for Oral Hearing	\$ 0.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$ 0.00

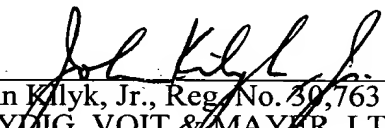
Total Fee Due: \$160.00

6. Fee Payment

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$.
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$160.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

7. Fee Deficiency

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached.



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Date: December 20, 2002

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